5-27 State Cooperative Agreements (Personnel and Facilities) (1200 TN 350 5-27)

- 1. AUTHORITY. To approve and administer cooperative agreements with States and Indian tribes to delegate the authority to cooperate in the enforcement of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) through the use of State or tribe personnel or facilities, to train state or tribe personnel, and to assist states and tribes in implementing cooperative enforcement programs, in accordance with FIFRA, including Section 23(a)(1).
- 2. TO WHOM DELEGATED. Director, Land, Chemicals and Redevelopment Division (LCRD); Chief, Chemicals Safety Program Branch, LCRD.
- **3. LIMITATIONS.** Director, LCRD to consult with the Director, Enforcement and Compliance Assurance Division (ECAD) on enforcement elements included in cooperative agreements.

4. REDELEGATION AUTHORITY.

- a. This authority may be redelegated to the section chief, and no further. This authority may not be redelegated without formal amendment.
- b. An official who redelegates an authority retains the right to exercise or withdraw the authority. Redelegated authority may be exercised by any official in the chain of command down to the official to whom it has been specifically redelegated.

5. ADDITIONAL REFERENCES.

- a. 40 C.F.R. Part 35.
- b. EPA Publication 202-B-95-001 (Oct 1995), Managing Your Financial Assistance Agreement: Project Officer Responsibilities.

SUPERSESSION. Delegations Manual, FIFRA, Regional Delegation 5-27, <u>State Cooperative Agreements</u>, 1200 TN RIII 197, (April 27, 2017).

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